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SUBJ: TURKISH PURCHASE OF F-104S AIRCRAFT

REF: ANKARA 8287

1. LOCKHEED AIRCRAFT REP BRUBAKER CALLED AT EMBASSY NOVEMBER 22 TO DISCUSS PROBLEM OF USG APPROVAL FOR GOT OPTION TO PURCHASE ADDITIONAL SQUADRON OF F-104S'S FROM ITALY (REFTEL). ALTHOUGH LOCKHEED REP SUGGESTED THAT QUESTION HAD BEEN RAISED BY TGS, HE CONTINUALLY REFERRED TO A LOCKHEED TELEX DURING DISCUSSION.

2. ACCORDING TO BRUBAKER, LOCKHEED AND GOVERNMENT OF ITALY AWARE THAT USG APPROVAL FOR ITALY'S SALE OF ONE SQUADRON OF F-104S'S TO TURKEY MADE NO MENTION OF TURKISH OPTION TO PURCHASE ADDITIONAL SQUADRON. BRUBAKER SAID GOI WILL SOON APPROACH DEPARTMENT SEEKING AN EXTENSION OF ORIGINAL APPROVAL TO COVER POSSIBILITY OF EMBASSY SIMULTANEOUSLY INITIATING ACTION TO OBTAIN GOT ASSURANCE OF NON-TRANSFERABILITY OF AIRCRAFT SHOULD IT DECIDE TO BUY SQUADRON AND USG APPROVE OF SALE. EMBASSY OFFICER TOLD BRUBAKER WE WOULD NOT APPROACH
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